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## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 8, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace the listing of claims presently on file by the following new listing of claims: